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1. The electrical installation departments of the three largest electrical equipment manufacturing plants in Czechoslovakia, the Skoda Works, the Ceskomoravska-Kolben-Danek (CKD) plant¹ and the former Brown-Boveri Plant², have been consolidated to form a new national enterprise to be known as Energovod ("transmission of energy"), with address at Prague II., Dietrichova 21.
2. The enterprise employs some 600 electricians, whose task it is to install electric machinery and armatures in plants in Czechoslovakia and other countries in the Soviet Orbit.
3. During the fall of 1953, teams of these electrical engineers worked on the new electric power distribution points at the following locations³:

Trnava, Bystricany, Liskovec na Morave (O 50/N 13),
Litomysl, Policka (O 50/N 15), Trimice near Pilsen (sic),
Lovosice, Lany (O 51/G 53), Strakonice, Rokycany, Trebovice
in Silesia, Brno, Hodonin, Vir (O 50/N 13), Hradistko near Lysa
nad Labem, Opocinek near Pardubice, Chvaletice, Ceska Trebova,
Komorany (N 51/F 12), Slapy and Havlickuv Brod.

4. Electrical engineers from Energovod have also been assigned installation jobs in the following enterprises:
 - a. The Vitkovice Klement Gottwald Iron Works, at Kuncice.
 - b. The V. M. Molotov Iron Works, at Trinec.
 - c. The Hranice Cement and Lime Works, at Hranice.
 - d. The electric power plant in Porici, near Trutnov⁴.

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Comments.

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However, the Julius Fucik Plant of the Skoda Works in Brno, and CKD-Stalingrad, in Prague-Vysocany, are important manufacturers of electrical equipment and are possibly the enterprises here alluded to.

2.

the Drasov Plant of the Moravske Elektrotechnicke Zavody (MEZ), at Drasov (P 50/N 31), was reported in 1950 as a former Brown-Boveri plant.

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3. a. The following information concerning power distribution plants at the locations named in this paragraph is provided by the 1951-52 telephone book:

(1) Trnava: West Slovakian Power Works (Zapadoslovenske elektrarny).

(2) Liskovec na Morave: Brno Power Distribution Works (Brnenske energeticke rozvodne zavody), Nedvedice.

(3) Litomysl: Pardubice Power Distribution Works (Pardubicke energeticke rozvodne zavody).

(4) Policka: Pardubice Power Distribution Works.

(5) Lovosice: Usti Power Distribution Works (Ustecke energeticke rozvodne zavody).

(6) Lany: Hradec Power Distribution Works (Hradecke energeticke rozvodne zavody).

(7) Strakonice: Ceske Budejovice Power Distribution Works (Cesko-budejovicke energeticke rozvodne zavody).

(8) Rokycany: Pilsen Power Distribution Works (Plzenske energeticke rozvodne zavody).

(9) Brno: Brno Power Distribution Works.

(10) Hodonin: Gottwaldov Power Distribution Works (Gottwaldovske energeticke rozvodne zavody).

(11) Chvaletice: Pardubice Power Distribution Works.

(12) Ceska Trebova: Pardubice Power Distribution Works.

(13) Slapy: Prague Power Distribution Works (Prazske energeticke rozvodne zavody).

(14) Havlickuv Brod: Ceske Budejovice Power Distribution Works.

b. The following information has been reported previously concerning power distribution plants at the locations mentioned in this paragraph:

(1) a nearly completed transformer station at Opocinek (O 51/M 68) has been reported. 25X1

(2) The construction of a new dam and power plant at Vir was reported,

(3) It was reported that a thermal power plant had started operating at Komorany, near Most. 25X1

(4) A new dam and hydroelectric power plant at Slapy has been reported.

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4. The 1951-52 telephone book indicates that a plant of the Hradec Power Distribution Works is located at Trutnov. This is possibly the power plant here referred to.

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